



OMB Number: 1121-0259

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed eCollection of eComments

Requested; Reinstatement without change of a previously approved collection

AGENCY: Office of Justice Programs, Department of Justice.

ACTION: 30 Day Notice.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office of Justice Programs, Department of Justice is submitting the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: The Department of Justice encourages public comment and will accept input until [INSERT DATE 30 DAYS AFTER PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review - Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information are encouraged. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Bureau of Justice Assistance, including whether the information will have practical utility;

- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Evaluate whether and if so how the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected can be enhanced; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

OVERVIEW OF THIS INFORMATION COLLECTION:

1. *Type of Information Collection:* reinstatement without change of a previously approved collection.
2. *The Title of the Form/Collection:* Public Safety Officer Medal of Valor (Public Law 107-12).
3. *The agency form number:* There is no form number associated with this information collection. The nomination process is managed through the Internet, using the Office of Justice Programs' (OJP) Public Safety Officer Medal of Valor (MOV) online nomination system at: <https://bja.ojp.gov/program/medalofvalor>
4. *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:*
The information that is being collected is solicited from federal, state, local and tribal public safety agencies, who wish to nominate their personnel to receive the Public Safety Officer Medal of Valor (MOV). This information is provided on a voluntary basis, includes agency and nominee information along with details about the events for which the nominees are to be consider when determining who will be recommended to receive the MOV.

5. *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* The recordkeeping and reporting requirements established by the PREA standards are based on incidents of sexual abuse. An estimated 13,119 covered facilities nationwide are required to comply with the PREA standards. If all covered facilities were to fully comply with all of the PREA standards, the new burden hours associated with the staff time that would be required to collect and maintain the information and records required by the standards would be approximately 1.16 million in the first year of full compliance, or about 89 hours per facility.
6. *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* Base upon the average number of submissions over the referenced two-year period, and the estimated time required to complete each submission, the estimated annual public burden would be 56.45 hours.

a. $135.5 \times 25 \text{ minutes} = 3,387.5 \text{ minutes} / 60 = 56.45 \text{ hours}.$

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